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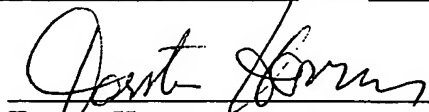
ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Torsten Horns, residing at Kaiserin-Augusten-Str. 12 B, 12103 Berlin, Germany, (ASSIGNOR) am the inventor named in a U.S. patent application entitled METHODS AND NUCLEIC ACIDS FOR THE ANALYSIS OF METHYLATION WITHIN THE DD3 GENE, said application No. 10/520,992 was nationalized in the United States from International Application PCT/EP2003/006690 filed on June 25, 2003, and claims priority to DE 102 30 692.3 filed July 8, 2002;

AND, WHEREAS, Epigenomics AG, a German corporation, having administrative offices at Kleine Praesidentenstrasse 1, 10178 Berlin, Germany (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the invention described in the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for sufficient, good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, my entire right, title to and interest in said application and said inventions; any patent or reissues of any patent that may be granted thereon; and any applications which are improvements thereon, continuations, continuations-in-part, substitutes, or divisions of said applications, and all foreign applications and patents on said invention(s) to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this sale, assignment, and transfer not been made, and I do hereby further agree and promise to execute all instruments and render all such assistance as ASSIGNEE may request in order to make and prosecute any and all applications on said invention(s), to enforce any and all patents on said invention(s), and to confirm in ASSIGNEE legal title to said invention(s) and all applications and patents on said invention(s), all without charge to ASSIGNEE but at no expense to me.

Executed in Berlin, this 18 day of November, 2005.



Torsten Horns